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**PATENT DKT. 23052** 

#### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



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#### **NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventors:

Dana B. Swift

For (title):

EVALUATING GRAPHIC IMAGE FILES FOR OBJECTIONABLE

**CONTENT** 

#### 1. Type of Application

This transmittal is for an original (nonprovisional) application.

#### 2. Papers Enclosed

- A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design) Application
- 18 Pages of Specification
- 9 Pages of Claims
- 5 Sheets of Drawings--Formal
- B. Other Papers Enclosed
- 2 Pages of Declaration-Unsigned
- 1 Page of Abstract
- 1 Pages of Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(I)-Nonpublication

#### 3. Additional Papers Enclosed

Information Disclosure Statement (37 C.F.R. 1.98), including Form PTO/SB/08A and 08B (Formerly PTO-1449) and sixteen (16) cited patent references

An acknowledgment postcard

#### 4. Declaration or Oath

Enclosed-Unsigned

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# 5. Inventorship Statement

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

## 6. Language

English

# 7. Assignment

An assignment of the invention to HEARTSOFT, INC. will follow.

# 8. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)

Regular Application

## **CLAIMS AS FILED**

Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a \$710.00
Total Claims					· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
(37 CFR 1.16(c))	26	- 20 =	6 x	\$18.00	\$108.00
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Multiple Depender Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+ .	\$270.00	\$0.00
Filing Fee Calculation					\$818.00

# 9. Small Entity Statement(s)

Applicant claims that this is a filing by a small entity under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.27.

Filing Fee Calculation (50% of above)

\$409.00

# 10. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time

**Enclosed** 

Filing Fee

\$409.00

**Total Fees Enclosed** 

\$409.00

## 11. Method of Payment of Fees

Check in the amount of \$409.00 is attached.

## 12. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. 13-0110.

- 37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(a), (f) or (g) (filing fees)
- 37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b), (c) or (d) (presentation of extra claims)
- 37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(e) (surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application)
- 37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to SECTION 1.136(a))

## 13. Instructions as to Overpayment

Refund.

# ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION CLAIMED

#### 14. Relate Back

#### A. 35 U.S.C. Section 119(e)

"This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No.:

APPLICATION NO.

FILING DATE

60/207,593

05/26/2000

# 15. Further Inventorship Statement Where Benefit of Prior Application(s) Claimed

a. This application discloses and claims only subject matter disclosed in the prior application whose particulars are set out above and the inventor in this application is the same.

Date:  $\frac{5/25/01}{}$ 

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# REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION First Named Inventor Dana B. Swift UNDER Title EVALUATING GRAPHIC IMAGE STATE OF THE STORY OF

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

In making this certification I understand that "the invention disclosed in the attached application" is the invention first disclosed and claimed in the attached application and not the common disclosure of a distinct invention claimed in application Serial Number \_\_\_\_\_ Filed \_\_\_\_ which is subject to foreign filing and eighteenth month publication under 35 U.S.C. 122.

 $\frac{5/25/01}{Date}$ 

Signature

Randall K. McCarthy
Typed or printed name

This request must be signed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.33(b) and submitted with the application **upon filing.** 

Applicant may rescind this non publication request at any time. If applicant rescinds a request that an application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b), the application will be scheduled for publication at eighteen months from the earliest filing date for which a benefit is claimed.

If applicant subsequently files an application directed to the invention disclosed in the attached application in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication of applications eighteen months after filing, the applicant **must** notify the United States Patent and Trademark Office of such filing within forty-five (45) days after the date of the filing of such foreign or international application. **Failure to do** so will result in abandonment of this application (35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(iii).